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SUBJ: DAYAN STATEMENT OF IRAQI AIRLINER

REF: STATE 162011

1. DAYAN GAVE HEBREW-LANGUAGE TEEVISION INTERVIEW AND MIDNIGHT ENGLISH-LANGUAGE PRESS CONFERENCE AUGUST 11. AP REPRESENTATIVE DOES NOT HAVE VERBATIM TEXT PRESS CONFERENCE. BASED ON TAPE OF HEBREW INTERVIEW, UPI DIRECT QUOTATION OF DAYAN AT ENGLISH-LANGUAGE CONFERENCE, AND EMBASSY'S DISCUSSION WITH CBS AND AP CORRESPONDENTS PRESENT AT PRESS CONFERENCE, WE BELIEVE CORRECT INTERPRETATION IS THAT DAYAN CONSIDERS ISRAEL IS FREE TO DO WHAT-EVER IT FEELS NECESSARY IN ORDER TO COMBAT TERRORISM. WHILE DAYAN EVIDENTLY DID NOT STATE SPECIFICALLY THAT ISRAEL WOULD AGAIN INTERCEPT CIVILIAN AIRCRAFT, HIS REMARKS ALLOWED FOR SUCH A POSSIBILITY.

2. EMBASSY ATTEMPTING TO OBTAIN TAPE PRESS CONFERENCE AND WILL REPORT RELEVANT PORTION VERBATIM TEXT IF OBTAINED.

3. AS DEPT KNOWS, INITIAL STATEMENTS OF ISRAELI OFFICIALS HAVE BEEN DEFENSIVE, TRUCULENT, AND IN ACCORD WITH THRUST OF DAYAN REMARKS. BUT EMBASSY AT THIS
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POINT UNABLE TO JUDGE CONSIDERED GOI ATTITUDE TOWARD DAYAN

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REMARKS OR TOWARD OTHER GOVT'S CHARGE ABOUT GOI INTENTIONS.
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